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In re patent application of: )  
H. Martin Harmless II ) Before the Examiner  
Serial No. 10/602,902 ) Not yet known  
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METHOD AND DEVICE FOR )  
PURIFYING WATER ) December 31, 2003

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner for Patents for a one (1) month extension to file a Response to Office Action for the above application from December 16, 2003, to January 16, 2003.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$55 to cover the extension for a small entity. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency associated with this Petition, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-0410.

Respectfully submitted,

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